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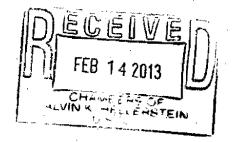
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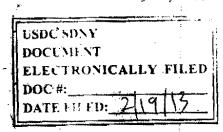


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Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1050 New York, NY 10007



Re: Aldo Vera, Jr. v. The Republic of Cuba, 12 cv 1596 (AKH)

Dear Judge Hellerstein:

This office represents Garnishee M&T Bank ("M&T") in connection with a Motion to Compel (the "Motion") filed by Plaintiff Aldo Vera, Jr. ("Plaintiff") in the above-referenced action. Plaintiff has agreed to extend the time by which M&T has to serve its opposition to the Motion through and including March 8, 2013. A Stipulation setting forth the agreed extension is attached.

This is M&T's first request for an extension. The Motion was filed on January 22, 2013, and we were retained earlier this month. Opposition initially was due on February 8, 2013. On February 8, 2013, the parties agreed to, and the Court granted, a one week extension such that M&T's response to the Motion would be due on February 15, 2013. Plaintiff and M&T now have agreed to an additional extension and respectfully request the Court "So Order" the attached Stipulation, adjourning the time for M&T Bank to serve any opposition to the Motion until March 8, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

Sloan J. Zarkin.

Enclosure

cc: Kerry A. Sheehan, Esq. (w/enclosure, (via facsimile- 212-278-1733))

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
ALDO VERA, JR., as Personal Representative:
of the Estate of Aldo Vera, Sr.,

Plaintiff,

V.

THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA.

Defendant,

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THE STANDARD CHARTERED BANK, BANK OF CHINA, and M&T BANK.

Garnishees.

No.: 12 Civ. 1596 (AKH)

STIPULATION

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between counsel for the undersigned parties that the time for Garnishee M&T Bank to serve opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Compel is hereby extended through and including March 8, 2013.

Dated: New York, New York February 14, 2013

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SO ORDERED:

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